

Program Timetable

The Cultural Diplomacy in Europe Conference: A Forum for Young Leaders (CDE)

Belgrade, April 15th - 19th, 2013

	Monday, 15th April 2013	Tuesday, 16th April 2013	Wednesday, 17th April 2013	Thursday, 18th April 2013	Friday, 19th April 2013
09:30	<p>Registration and Welcome</p> <p>Location: Diplomatic Academy</p>	<p>Location: Youth Dome</p>	<p>Location: Newspaper Danas</p>	<p>Location: Belgrade City Library</p>	<p>Location: The Faculty of Security Studies</p>
10:00	<p>Welcome Words - Youth and Cultural Diplomacy in Practice (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: Dr. Hamovic (Director of the Diplomatic Academy) Ms. Sehic (ICD Program Director, Vienna Office) Dr. Cullin (Diplomatic Academy Vienna)</p>	<p>Cultural Diplomacy in Europe; Current and Future Trends (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: H.E. Prof. Dr. Albert Maes (Vice President of the ECPD Academic Council, President of the ECPD Executive Board, EU Diplomat and Ambassador of the EU to former Yugoslavia, Israel, India and Professor at Namur University)</p>	<p>The Balkans and Bulgaria; One Foot in the EU (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: H.E. Ambassador Georgieva (tbc) (Ambassador of Bulgaria to Serbia)</p>	<p>International Cooperation in the field of Culture and the Youth; A Practical Example (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: Ms. Ninkov (Director of the Belgrade City Library)</p>	<p>Culture as One of the Three Central Pillars of Austrian Foreign Policy (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: Mr. Keller (Director, Austrian Cultural Forum Belgrade)</p>
11:00	<p>The European Union and Serbia; Challenges and Opportunities (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker Ms. Bobić (tbc) (Secretary General, European Movement in Serbia)</p>	<p>The Youth in Europe (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker Mr. Besiri (Executive director, Youth Education Committee)</p>	<p>Slovakia and the Balkans; A Slovak Point of View (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker H.E. Ambassador Varso (Ambassador of the Slovak Republic to Serbia)</p>	<p>World of Dance: the Role of the Arts in Cultural and Diplomatic Relations (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker Ms. Mandic (National Democratic Institute)</p>	<p>The Importance of Germany as a Serbian Trade Partner (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: Mr. Schmidt (Director, the German Chamber of Industry for Serbia)</p>

12:30	Lunch Break	Lunch Break	Lunch Break	Lunch Break	Farewell and Group Lunch
14:00	<p>The Netherlands and the Balkans; A Dutch View (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: H.E. Ambassador Stokvis (Ambassador of the Kingdom of the Netherlands to Serbia)</p> <p>Location: Embassy of the Netherlands</p>	<p>The Role and Competences of the Commissioner for Protection of Equality in Serbia (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: Ms. Petrusic (Commissioner for Protection of Equality)</p>	<p>Visit of the Serbian National Assembly (Guided Tour)</p> <p>Location: The Serbian National Assembly</p>	<p>Geopolitics of Emotions and Balkan (non)Use of Cultural Diplomacy (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: Ms. Dragičević Šešić (Professors, Faculty of Arts)</p>	
16:00	<p>Belgrade – Sight Seeing Tour</p>	<p>The Involvement of Finland in the Balkans and the EU (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: H.E. Ambassador Orpana (Ambassador of Finland to Serbia)</p> <p>Location: Embassy of Finland</p>	<p>Democracy and Public Policy; The Serbian Case (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: Mirko Dautovic (The Zoran Djindjic Foundation)</p> <p>Location: Newspaper Danas</p>	<p>Culture and the Arts; A Serbian Example (Lecture)</p> <p>Speaker: Ms. Pavićević (Director of the Center for Cultural Decontamination)</p>	
18:00	Welcome Group Dinner	Free Evening	Free Evening	Free Evening	